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The initial conference is adjourned from July 22, 2024 to

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July 10, 2024

VIA ECF

The Hon. P. Kevin Castel, U.S.D.J. **United States District Court** Southern District of New York 500 Pearl Street New York, N.Y. 10007

October 4, 2024 at 10:00 a.m. The conference will proceed Dial-In No.: 1-888-363-4749, telephonically.

Access Code: 3667981.

SO ORDERED. Dated: 7/10/2024

United States District Judge

Re: Hreish et al. v. Pappas et al., No. 24-cv-2284-PKC (S.D.N.Y.)

Dear Judge Castel:

I represent the Plaintiffs in the above-captioned S.D.N.Y. matter. I write to respectfully request that the initial pretrial conference, currently set for 7/22/24, be adjourned a second time. The reasons for this request are that Defendants Kazantzis and Angelides have defaulted (ECF #28, 29), and that Defendant Pappas apparently was served with process on 7/2/24.

In my previous letter I informed the Court that Attorney Massimo D'Angelo (Blank Rome) had told me that he was in the course of being retained by all three defendants and that he would waive service on behalf of Pappas. The Court extended Defendants' pleading deadline to 6/21/22. (ECF #19).

However, neither Mr. D'Angelo nor any other attorney has followed up and waived service. Instead, Kazantzis and Angelides have defaulted, and Pappas has now been served in the regular manner. I will file the proof of service as soon as I receive it.

In light of same, Plaintiffs respectfully suggest that the Rule 16 conference be taken off the calendar until Pappas has responded to the Complaint.

Thank you.

Respectfully,

/s/ Jonathan R. Miller